

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Arturo Maria  
Application No. : 09/580,689  
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For : FLOATING INTRUSION DETECTION PLATFORMS

Examiner : Carl G. Colin  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**AMENDMENT**

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated January 22, 2008, please amend the application as shown on the following pages: